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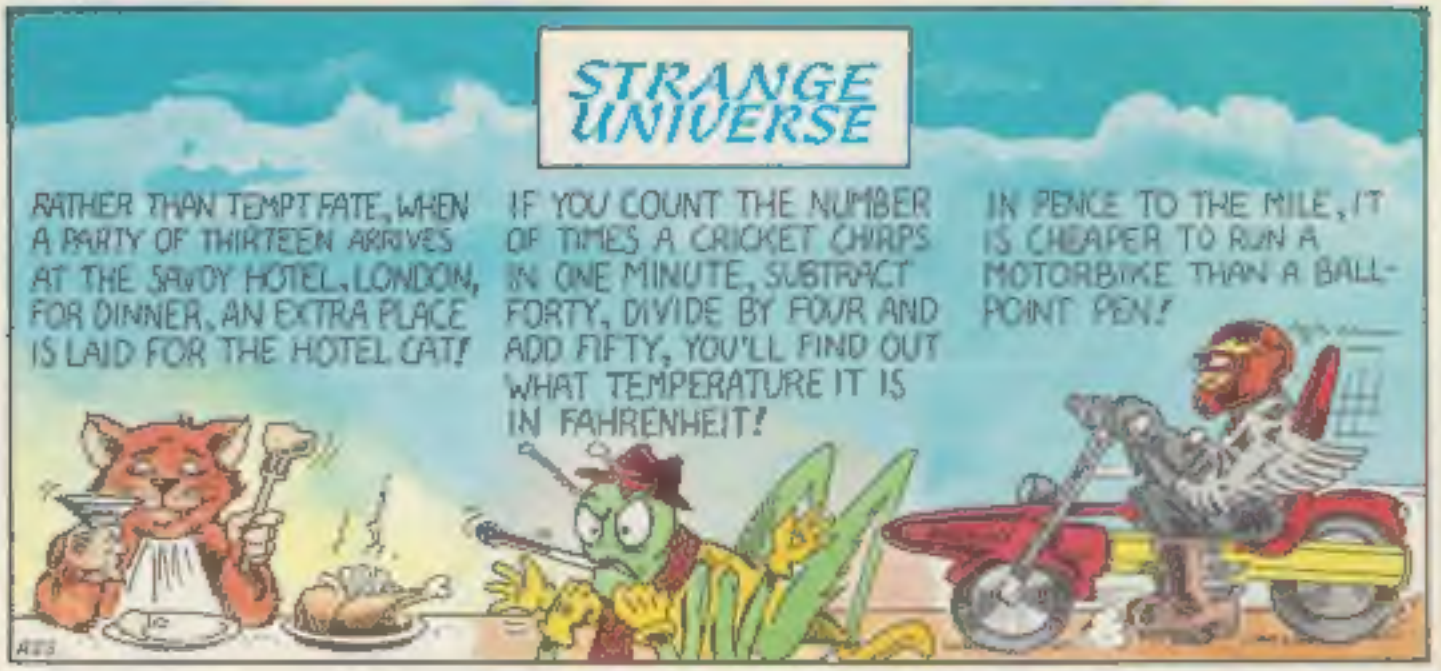
STRANGE UNIVERSE
RATHER THAN TEMPT FATE, WHEN A PARTY OF THIRTEEN ARRIVES AT THE SAVOY HOTEL, LONDON, FOR DINNER, AN EXTRA PLACE IS LAID FOR THE HOTEL CAT!
IF YOU COUNT THE NUMBER OF TIMES A CRICKET CHIRPS IN ONE MINUTE, SUBTRACT FORTY, DIVIDE BY FOUR AND ADD FIFTY, YOU'LL FIND OUT WHAT TEMPERATURE IT IS IN FAHRENHEIT!
IN PENCE TO THE MILE, IT IS CHEAPER TO RUN A MOTORBIKE THAN A BALL-POINT PEN!

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BE BRAVE,

Scrollos

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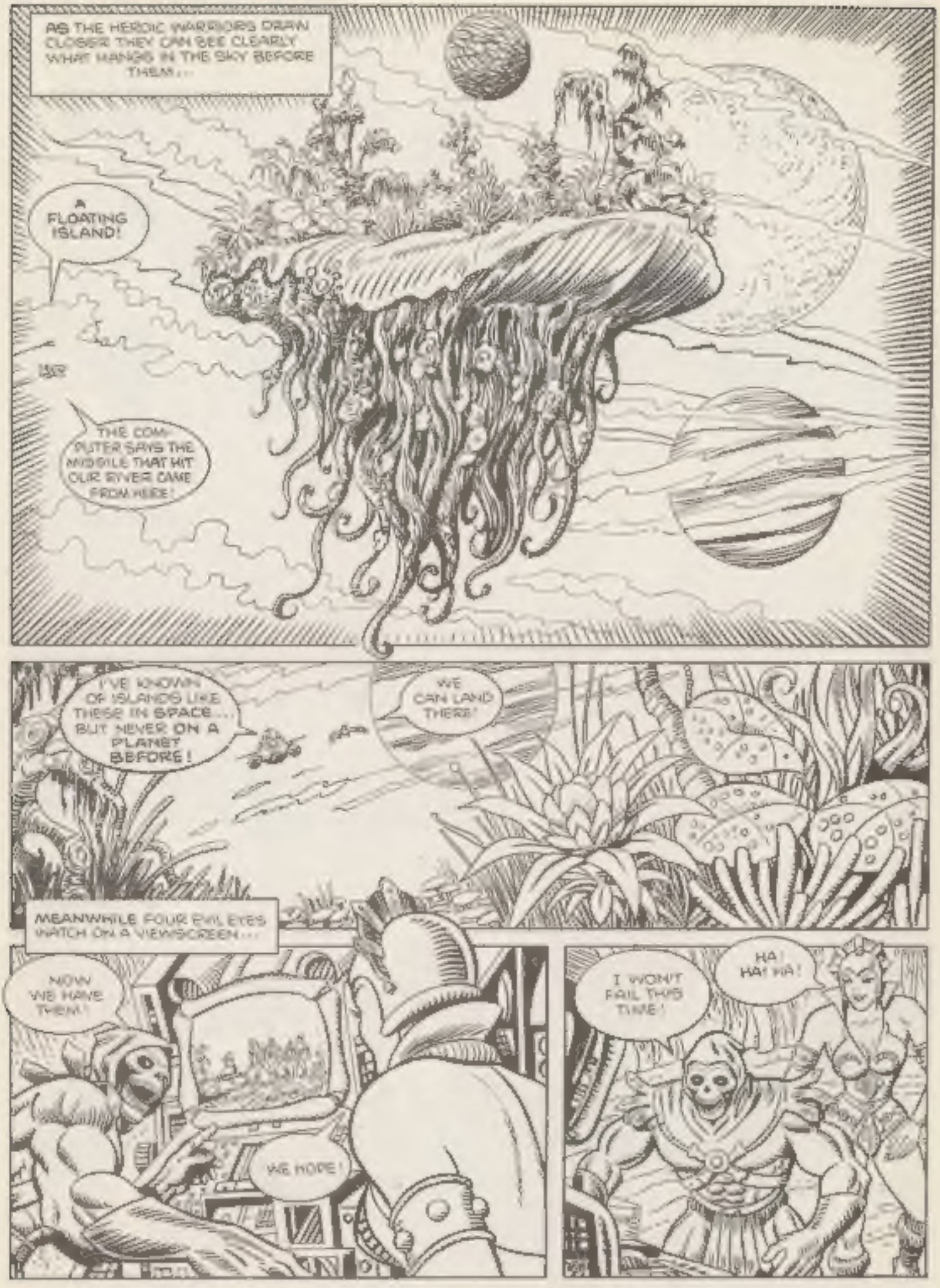
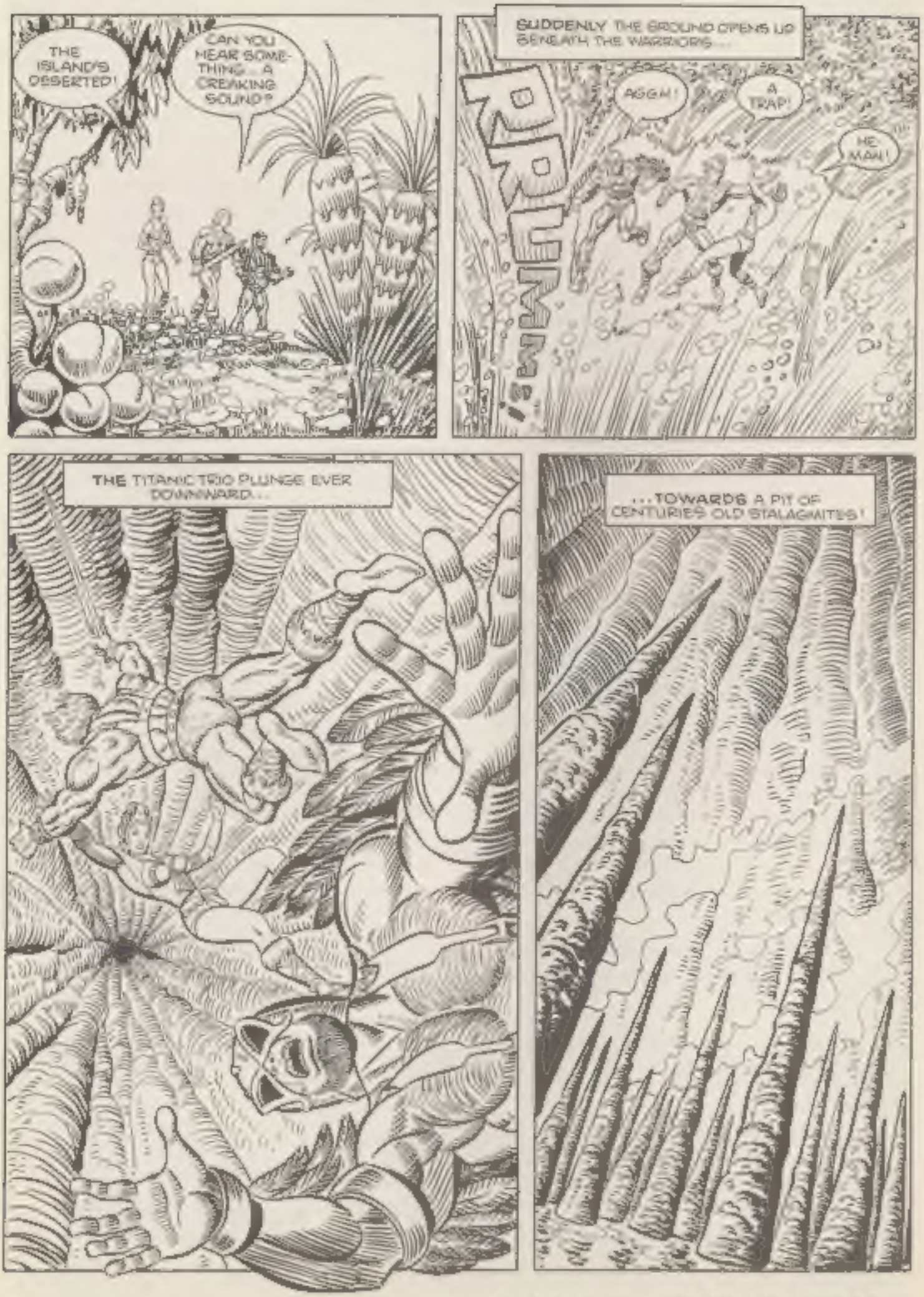
AS ADAM AND TEELA PADDLE TO THE SIDE, SEVERAL HEROIC WARRIORS RUSH FORWARD...
AT LAST WE HAVE FOUND YOU! ETERNIA IS UNDER ATTACK!
ATTACK!
EVERYONE RETURN TO THE ROYAL PALACE!
YES, FATHER.
AREN'T YOU COMING, ADAM?
I HAVE TO... SOMETHING TO DO!
BY THE POWER OF GRAYSKULL... I HAVE THE POWER!
AFTER CHANGING INTO HIS HE-MAN FORM, THE MIGHTY MORTAL RUSHES TO THE PALACE...
ADAM TOLD ME TO COME!
HE-MAN!
WHAT NOW?

WHAT IS THE DANGER?
OUR SENSORS CAN'T PICK IT OUT!
THEN WE'LL HAVE TO GO AND TAKE A PERSONAL LOOK!
MINUTES LATER THE SEARCH FOR THE EVIL FORCE BEGINS...
FOR SEVERAL HOURS THE HEROIC WARRIORS SEARCH THE LAND AND SKY...WITH NO LUCK!
WHERE CAN IT BE?
ANOTHER HOUR PASSES, UNTIL STRATOS MAKES A DISCOVERY...
THERE IT IS!
THE WIND RAIDER COMPUTER CONFIRMS THAT THE STRANGE OBJECT HAS NEVER BEEN SEEN BEFORE...
BE READY FOR ANYTHING. WE HAVE NO IDEA WHAT DANGERS ARE WAITING FOR US!
WE'RE READY, STRATOS!


AS THE HEROIC WARRIORS DRAW CLOSER THEY CAN SEE CLEARLY WHAT HANGS IN THE SKY BEFORE THEM...
A FLOATING ISLAND!
THE COMPUTER SAYS THE MISSILE THAT HIT OUR RIVER CAME FROM HERE!
I'VE KNOWN OF ISLANDS LIKE THESE IN SPACE... BUT NEVER ON A PLANET BEFORE!
WE CAN LAND THERE!
MEANWHILE FOUR EVIL EYES WATCH ON A VIEWSCREEN...
NOW WE HAVE THEM!
WE HOPE!
I WON'T FAIL THIS TIME!
HA! HA! HA!


THE ISLAND'S DESERTED!
CAN YOU HEAR SOMETHING... A CREAKING SOUND?
SUDDENLY THE GROUND OPENS UP BENEATH THE WARRIORS...
AGGH!
A TRAP!
HE MAN!
THE TITANIC TRIO PLUNGE EVER DOWNWARD...
...TOWARDS A PIT OF CENTURIES OLD STALAGMITES!

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Master Mail

Dear Scrollos,
I would like to know if Zodac is evil or good.

Tommy McGhee, UDDINGSTON.

This is quite a difficult one, Tommy. The answer is that he is both. He is the Cosmic Enforcer of Balance. When one group of people have everything their own way all the time, this can be a threat to freedom and honesty. Zodac helps to make sure that this doesn't happen.

Dear Scrollos,
What is the beam from Mantenna's eyes made of?

William Jessop, BOXFORD.

Actually, William, Mantenna can shoot lots of things out of his eyes as well as the beam that you mention, including bolts and mist. The beam is made from concentrated laser light. Keep out of the way if you see him coming!

Dear Scrollos,
Please tell me what Prince Adam can do really well.

Christopher Roberts, CLEVEDON.

Thanks for your letter, Christopher. As you know, Prince Adam is a leisurely sort of person when he is not performing heroic feats as He-Man. He is a very great reader and knows much about Eternian literature. He is also the champion at a very difficult Eternian card game called Nopik Nik!

Dear Scrollos,
Do you have weathermen on Eternia and what's the longest animal that lives there?

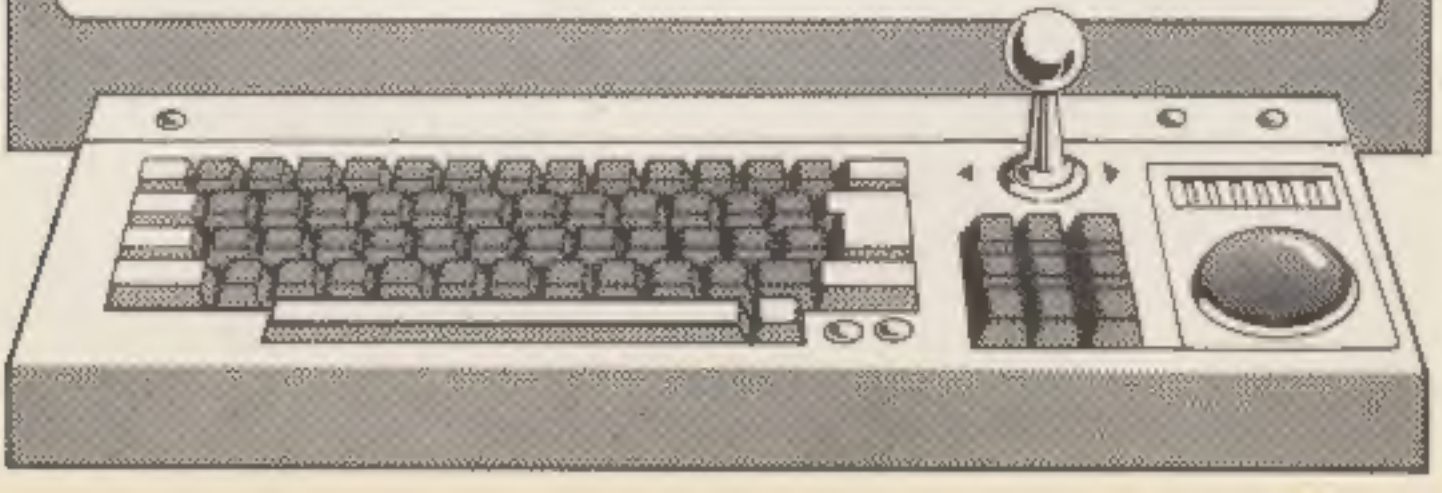
Brett Davies, GWERSYLLT.

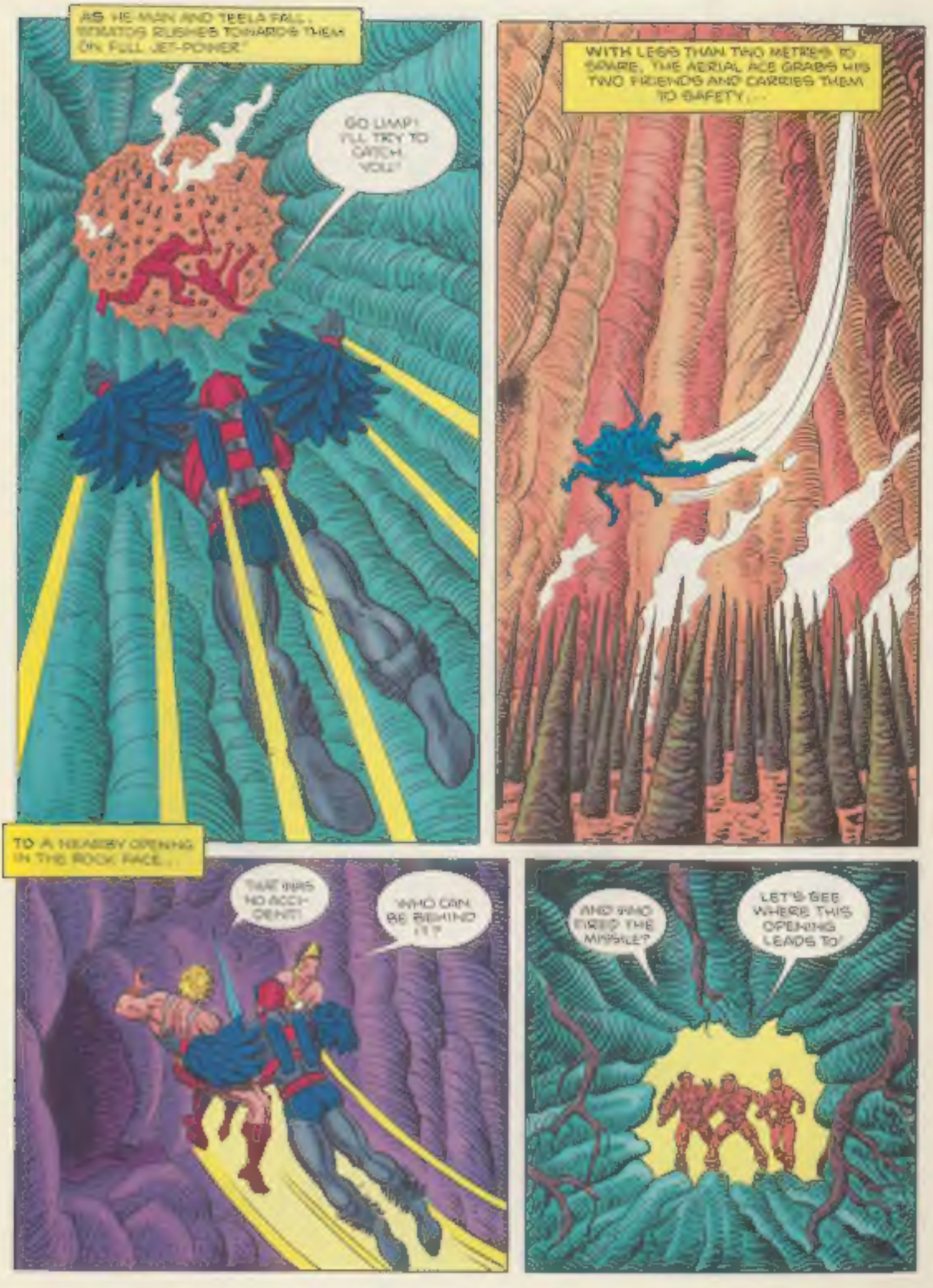
Of course we have weathermen on Eternia, Brett. He-Man needs to know what weather conditions to expect on his voyages. The most famous weatherman on Eternia is called Mikhail Pisces. The longest animal on Eternia is a giant hairy caterpillar called a Quangzog Bug.

Dear Scrollos,
I would like to know if Kobra Khan fires his sleeping gas from his mouth or from his ears.

Greg Wallace, DOWNFIELD.

Good question, Greg. As a matter of fact he fires the mist from his mouth. Once, when the wind was blowing into his face, he even managed to knock out three members of the Horde who were standing behind him!




AS HE MAN AND TEELA FALL, ZODIAC RUSHES TOWARDS THEM ON FULL JET-POWER!
GO LIMP! I'LL TRY TO CATCH YOU!
WITH LESS THAN TWO METRES TO SPARE, THE AERIAL ACE GRABS HIS TWO FRIENDS AND CARRIES THEM TO SAFETY...
TO A NEARBY OPENING IN THE ROCK FACE...
THAT WAS NO ACCIDENT!
WHO CAN BE BEHIND IT?
AND WHO FIRED THE MISSILE?
LET'S SEE WHERE THIS OPENING LEADS TO!

VROOOW!
WHAT'S THAT SOUND?
AS THE HEROES LOOK UPWARD THEY SEE A BLINDING LIGHT RUSHING TOWARDS THEM...
VROOOOW!
MOLTEN LAVA!
THE HEAT!
WE'RE TRAPPED!
HE-MAN FIRES A BLAST FROM HIS SWORD AT A SPOT IN THE ROCK FACE...
BY THE ELDERS!
AS THE ROCK IS BLASTED AWAY A CIRCULAR HOLE APPEARS...
WOW!
WILL IT WORK IN TIME?
WITH SECONDS LEFT, HE-MAN TRIES ONE FINAL BLAST...
KRACK!

I CAN'T SEE
ZACK
ZACK!
ZACK!

FLYING ABOVE
AGGH
GASP
BRAUUUUM!

FULL POWER
THAT WAS CLOSE
EACH MENACE GETS MORE DEADLY
WE MUST END SOON
MEANWHILE
HOW DARE THEY DO THIS TO ME THEY SHOULD HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY NOW

PREPARE TO » PREPARE TO » PREPARE TO » PREPARE
POWER ON!
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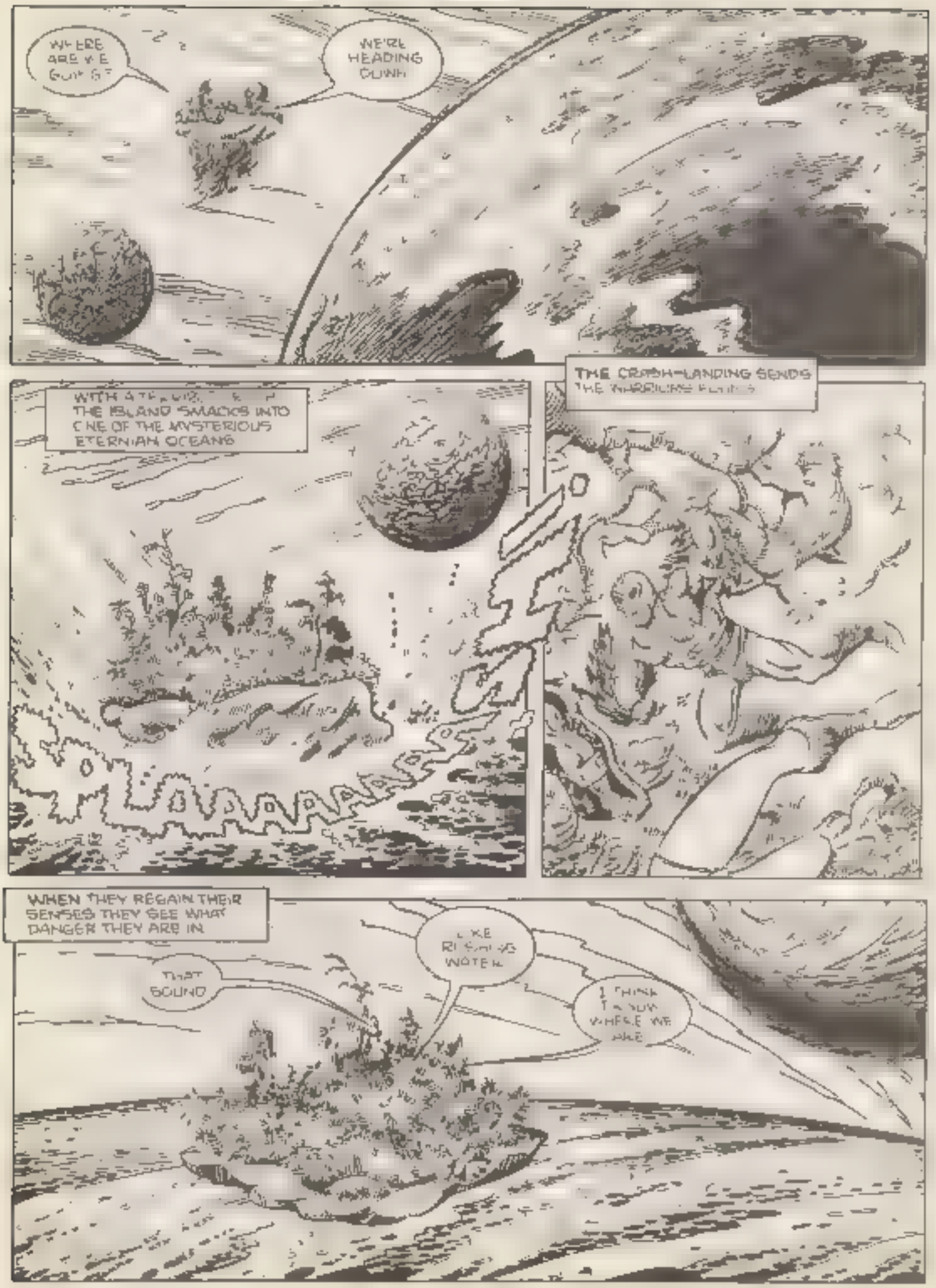
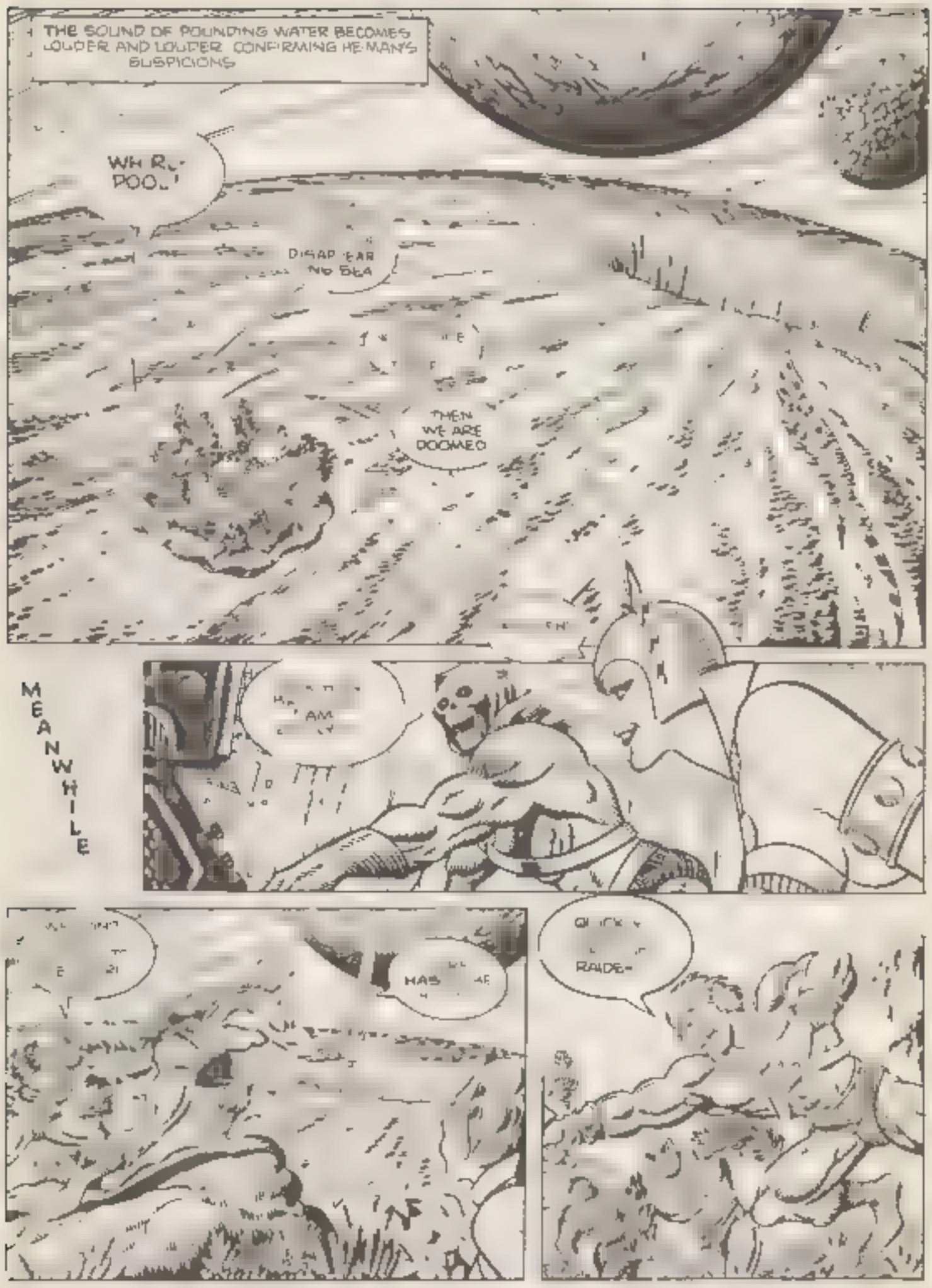
WE'RE
HEADING TOWARDS
ETERNOS


WHERE ARE WE GOING?
WE'RE HEADING DOWN
WITH A TERRIFIC [illegible] THE ISLAND SMACKS INTO ONE OF THE MYSTERIOUS ETERNIAN OCEANS
THE CRASH-LANDING SENDS THE WARRIORS [illegible]
WHEN THEY REGAIN THEIR SENSES THEY SEE WHAT DANGER THEY ARE IN
THAT SOUND
LIKE RUSHING WATER
I THINK I KNOW WHERE WE ARE


THE SOUND OF POUNDING WATER BECOMES LOUDER AND LOUDER CONFIRMING HE-MAN'S SUSPICIONS
WH R.. POO..!
DISAP EAR NO SEA
THEN WE ARE DOOMED
MEANWHILE
AM
HAS
QUICK
RAIDE-

THE
WE'RE IN THE WILD RAIDER
START THE ENGINE
AS HE SLAMS AT THE PEDALS THE BIKE BEGINS TO MOVE EVEN FASTER
WITH A LOUD RUMBLE THE ISLAND TREMBLES AND
RRUUUMMS!

BUT SKELETOR'S CRAFT WAN'T THE ONLY O
WIND RAIDER FLIES AWAY FROM THE DOOMED ISLAND
AND TEELA, STONEDAR AND STRATOS FLY AWAY USING THEIR OWN POW
RRUUUUUMM

THE MUDDLES WERE JUST BAIT TO LURE US INTO THAT TRAP!
WELL, WITH THE ISLAND DESTROYED, THAT TRICK CAN NEVER BE PLAYED ON US AGAIN!
WE'LL HEAD BACK TO ETERNIA!
IT WILL FEEL GOOD TO BE HOME!
THE NEXT DAY, TEELA IS ENJOYING A BOAT-RIDE ON THE ROYAL RIVER...
ADAM'S FEELING STEEV TODAY... I TOLD OUR ADVENTURES ...AND HE FEELS WEAK!
I FEEL SORRY FOR ADAM! I WISH HE COULD BE AS BRAVE AS YOU ARE, HE-MAN... BUT I GUESS IT'S ASKING TOO MUCH!
FROM NOW ON YOU WILL BE ABLE TO FOLLOW THE PULSE-POUNDING ADVENTURES OF HE-MAN AND THE OTHER WARRIORS IN THE MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE ADVENTURE MAGAZINE! THE NEXT ISSUE IS ON SALE FROM 10TH JANUARY — MAKE SURE YOUR COPY IS ON ORDER!

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